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For: SAMPLE TREATING KIT AND SAMPLE : Attorney Docket
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

Applicants in the above-identified application hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to and including December 31, 2001, for responding to the Office Action mailed July 31, 2001. A response to the Office Action accompanies this Petition.

- ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 400 .00 is enclosed herewith.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 50-1017 (**Billing No. 210059.0308**) as noted below. A duplicate copy is enclosed.
- ☐ Extension fee in the amount of \$ ____ .00.
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